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SUBJECT: MAPUTO UN CONFERENCE: SPEECH BY CHINESE DELEGATE

1. CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE AT MAPUTO CONFERENCE MAY 18 ATTACKED U.S. AS ONE OF TWO SUPERPOWERS "FOR TRYING BY EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO PROTECT ITS VESTED INTERESTS" AND FOR "MAINTAINING A THOUSAND AND ONE LINKS WITH THE RACIST REGIME." HOWEVER, MAJOR FOCUS OF CHINESE SPEECH WAS HARD-HITTING ATTACK ON THE SOVIET UNION, WHICH "HARBORS EVEN WILDER AMBITIONS AND MORE SINISTER DESIGNS." CHINESE REP ACCUSES USSR OF BEING "THE BEHIND-THE-SCENE BOSS OF THE MERCENARIES INVADING ZAIRE AND THE CHIEF CULPRIT IN THE GRAVE INCIDENT OF INVASION."

2. FOLLOWING ARE EXCERPTS FROM CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE'S

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SPEECH. FULL TEXT WILL BE TRANSMITTED SEPTEL:

QUOTE: SOUTHERN AFRICA WHICH OCCUPIES AN IMPORTANT STRATEGIC POSITION AND ABOUNDS IN NATURAL RESOURCES HAS ALWAYS BEEN A PLACE OF RIVALRY AMONG THE IMPERIALIST POWERS. IN RECENT YEARS, WHILE STEPPING UP THEIR RIVALRY FOR WORLD HEGEMONY, THE TWO SUPERPOWERS HAVE DAILY INTENSIFIED THEIR RIVALRY OVER SOUTHERN AFRICA. MAKING

ENORMOUS INVESTMENTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA AND MAINTAINING A THOUSAND AND ONE LINKS WITH THE RACIST REGIMES THERE, ONE SUPERPOWER IS TRYING BY EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO PROTECT ITS VESTED INTERESTS. THE OTHER LATE-COMING SUPERPOWER HARBOURS EVEN WILDER AMBITIONS AND MORE SINISTER DESIGNS. IN THE PAST WHEN THE AFRICAN PEOPLE WERE FORCED TO TAKE UP ARMS TO RESIST COLONIALIST DOMINATION, IT DID ITS UTMOST TO OPPOSE THEM AND MADE EVERY EFFORT TO PROPAGATE A "PEACEFUL TRANSITION." NOW IT HAS MADE A SUDDEN CHANGE, STYLING ITSELF A "NATURAL ALLY" OF THE AFRICAN PEOPLE AND A "STANDARD-BEARER" IN "SUPPORTING THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT" AND "OPPOSING RACISM." IN FACT, IT HAS DONE ALL SORTS OF EVILS AGAINST THE AFRICAN PEOPLE. IT HAS SPARED NO EFFORT TO SOW DISCORD AMONG THE AFRICAN STATES AND AMONG THE NATIONAL LIBERATION ORGANIZATIONS, IN AN ATTEMPT TO DISRUPT THEIR MILITANT UNITY SO AS TO CREATE CONFUSION AND FISH IN TROUBLED WATERS. NOT LONG AGO, IN GROSSLY TRAMPLING UPON THE PRINCIPLES OF THE U.N. CHARTER AND THE CHARTER OF THE ORGANIZATIONS OF AFRICAN UNITY, IT INSTIGATED LARGE NUMBERS OF MERCENARIES FOR A FLAGRANT INVASION OF ZAIRE IN SERIOUS ENCROACHMENT UPON THE INDEPENDENCE, SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF ZAIRE. ONCE AGAIN THIS FULLY REVEALS ITS SINISTER SOCIAL-IMPERIALIST FEATURE OF AGGRESSION AND EXPANSION. AS POINTED OUT BY FAIR-MINDED WORLD OPINION, THIS IS A NEW ROUND OF ITS OFFENSIVES OF POLITICAL AND MILITARY AGGRESSION IN AFRICA IN THE WAKE OF ITS AGGRESSION IN ANGOLA AS WELL AS ANOTHER MAJOR MOVE IN ITS RIVALRY WITH THE OTHER SUPERPOWER TO SEIZE EUROPE. IT HAS SPREAD ALL KINDS OF LIES DESCRIBING THE INVASION AS AN SO-CALLED "INTERNAL UNCLASSIFIED

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MILITARY CONFLICT IN ZAIRE" AND AN "UPRISING IN THE SOUTH OF ZAIRE." YET SHAM IS SHAM, AND THE CAMOUFLAGE MUST BE STRIPPED. THE LARGE AMOUNT OF SOVIET ARMS CAPTURED RECENTLY BY THE HEROIC ARMY AND PEOPLE OF ZAIRE AND THE TESTIMONY GIVEN BY THE CAPTURED MERCENARIES IRREFUTABLY EXPLODE BEFORE THE WHOLE WORLD THE ABOVE LIES SPREAD BY THE NEW CZARS AND ELOQUENTLY PROVE THAT THEY ARE THE BEHIND-THE-SCENES BOSS OF THE MERCENARIES INVADING ZAIRE AND THE CHIEF CULPRIT OF THIS GRAVE INCIDENT OF INVASION. IN ORDER TO DEFEND THEIR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, STATE SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, THE ARMY AND PEOPLE OF ZAIRE UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT MOBUTU, UNITED AS ONE AND DEFYING BRUTE FORCE, ARE LAUNCHING COUNTER-ATTACKS IN SELF-DEFENCE AGAINST THE MERCENARIES. THE NUMEROUS AFRICAN COUNTRIES AND PEOPLE HAVE SEEN THROUGH THE WOLFISH DESIGNS OF SOCIAL-IMPERIALISM EVEN MORE CLEARLY. THEY HAVE BECOME AWARE

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THAT THIS INVASION IS SPEARHEADED NOT ONLY AGAINST ZAIRE  
BUT AGAINST THE WHOLE OF AFRICA AND THAT IF SUCH A PLOT  
SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO SUCCEED, IT WOULD BRING ENDLESS  
TROUBLES AND WHAT HAPPENS TODAY IN ZAIRE MAY RECUR IN  
SOME OTHER COUNTRIES IN THE FUTURE. IN ORDER TO  
SAFEGUARD THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE OAU AND  
DEFEND AFRICAN UNITY, THE NUMEROUS AFRICAN GOVERNMENTS  
AND PEOPLES HAVE CONDEMNED THIS AGGRESSION ONE AFTER  
ANOTHER AND HAVE PROVIDED ENERGETIC POLITICAL, MORAL,  
MILITARY AND MATERIAL SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE TO ZAIRE.  
THE THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES AND OTHER JUSTICE-  
UPHOLDING COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES ALSO STAND FIRMLY ON  
THE SIDE OF THE PEOPLE OF ZAIRE IN SUPPORT OF THEIR JUST  
STRUGGLE AGAINST AGGRESSION AND HEGEMONY. THIS IS A HEAD-ON  
BLOW DEALT BY THE PEOPLE OF AFRICA AND THE WORLD TO THE WILD  
DESIGNS OF THIS SUPERPOWER FOR HEGEMONY OVER AFRICA AND  
THE WORLD.

THE SUPERPOWER RIVALRY AND SOCIAL-IMPERIALIST EXPANSION  
HAVE ADDED GREATLY TO THE COMPLEXITY OF THE SITUATION  
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IN SOUTHERN AFRICA. BUT THIS HAS ALSO PROVIDED A LESSON  
BY NEGATIVE EXAMPLE TO ENABLE THE AFRICAN PEOPLE TO REALIZE  
THAT THE DANGER OF "LETTING THE TIGER IN THROUGH THE BACK  
DOOR WHILE REPULSING THE WOLF FROM THE FRONT GATE" IS  
A MOST RELEVANT PROBLEM CONFRONTING SOUTHERN AFRICA AS  
WELL AS MANY OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD AND THAT WHILE  
OPPOSING COLONIALISM AND RACISM, IT IS IMPERATIVE TO  
MAINTAIN HEIGHTENED VIGILANCE AND OPPOSE THE SUPERPOWERS'  
RIVALRY, AGGRESSION AND EXPANSION IN AFRICA. END QUOTE.  
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